



From The Shop



The newsletter of the Lehigh Valley Woodworker's Guild

Issue 8-2011

**Next Meeting: Tuesday, August 16, 2011
7:30PM**

**Location: Woodcraft on Lehigh Street in
Allentown**

Last meeting highlights:

The 4th of July indoor picnic went very well. Everyone had a good time. There was plenty of food, so no one should have left the meeting hungry. Judy and I would like to thank everyone who brought food to the picnic, it was certainly appreciated. Unfortunately, with all the food available, we didn't get many pictures. We have printed the few pictures we got on the last page of the newsletter.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Dr. Jerry Kaplan is now home from the hospital recovering nicely and can't wait to get back to doing some serious woodworking.

STEERING COMMITTEE NOTES.

At the last meeting a sign-up sheet was made available for people to sign to make blocks or toys for Christmas.

So far we have four people signed up to make blocks/toys With sixty-four members in the guild, surely we could get more than four members to sign-up for some local community project.

The committee is considering having a block making party at a future meeting night. All details have not been worked out as yet, but we will keep you posted as to which meeting it will be. This would give those members who do not have a shop of their own to participate. With the concern about doing local projects, now is the time to come to the aid of your guild.

OTHER COMMITTEE NOTES.

Thanks to everyone who had contributed to our Christmas and Abu funds.

To date the totals are:

Christmas fund\$ 102.00

Abu fund\$379.00

There is still one pledge to be collected.

OTHER NOTES

Everyone enjoyed the picnic. Thanks to everyone who brought food items for the picnic.

MEMBER'S MART

If any member has anything to sell, trade or wants, please contact Ken Muth at 610-799-4411 or e-mail at kennyrm@earthlink.net. We will include it in the next newsletter. DEADLINE FOR INSERTING ITEM IS THE FIRST TUESDAY OF THE MONTH!!!

Allen Powell has a 60 inch drafting board and a parallel track machine for sale. He is asking \$200.00 or best offer. If interested contact Allen at 610-419-4864. He also has some food grade UHMW poly. See Allen if you are interested.

Drag and Brag:

There was nothing to drag or brag about this month. Don't keep your projects a secret, bring them in and show the guild what you can do. Show-off your talents.

HELP!

We are ALWAYS looking for speakers. Writers! Articles! You hear of someone, let us know. Thanks!

WOODCRAFT WINNER!

The drawing for the gift certificate was won by : Long time guild member Tom Evans.

2011 Meeting Calender

Month	Topic	Speaker
July 19th	July 4 th Indoor picnic	None
August 16th	Furniture Design	C. Bentzley
Sept 20th	Wood Demo	K. Yardley
Oct 18th		

Wood Specials

SHADY LANE TREE FARM

Louise & Mike Peters
5220 Shimersville Road
Emmaus, PA
610 965-5612 Please call

FLEETWOOD LUMBER & FLOORING

BILL BURKERT
27 Rapp Rd.
Fleetwood, PA
610 944-8364 Please call
Member discount 5%

Bailey Wood Products, Inc.

441 Mountain Rd.
RD#2 Box 38
Kempton, PA
610 756-682

Woodcraft

Pkwy Shopping Ctr.
1534 Lehigh St.
Allentown, Pa., 18103
610-351-2966

**Next Meeting: August 16th (3RD Tuesday!)
7:30!! That'd be P.M.**

**Location: Woodcraft Store
Parkway Shopping Center
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Refreshments and so many other things..	
Ken and Judy Muth	

***Please don't keep the guild a secret, invite
a friend, relative or anyone you think
might be interested***



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President's Message

David J. Dreher

I would like to thank Mark Milisits for last months face frame demo. I thought it was very informative. I know I picked up a couple of tricks! Thank-you Mark.

The next couple of demos are definitely ones you don't want to miss. Of course this month we have the pen turning demo, and then next month **Dick Taglang** will be returning to present a demo on dust collection techniques for the small to mid-size shop.

So plug in and come on out to support your guild!

Guild Officers.....

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 Treasurer

Secretary

Program Committee Director

Next Meeting.....

When: Tuesday, March 11 1997

Where: Bethlehem Area Vo-Tech
Cabinet Shop

Time: 7:30-9:30pm

Topic: Mini Lathe Turning Demo

Pen Turning Demo...

Member and pen turner extrodinaire **Bill Grumbine** will be demonstrating his pen turning prowess for us this month. Bill has been turning pens professionally since 1993 and finds it to be a rewarding way to earn a living. For the tool aficionados among us Bill will be using a **Vicmarc** mini lathe for his demonstration, widely referred to as "the Cadillac of mini lathes".

If anyone would like to take a crack at turning their own pen under Bill's guidance, you may do so. For a \$10.00 fee Bill will supply the turning blanks and hardware necessary for you to turn your own unique pen. Bill has also generously offered to donate the proceeds from this event to the guild coffers.

Bill has also requested that anyone observing his demo please bring along some eye protection.

You're not going to want to miss this exciting demo, so come on out for a great evening of fun!

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